



**MIDAS # 0242**  
**BAKER POND**  
CARATUNK  
(SPAULDING) TWP, SOMERSET CO., MAINE  
AREA 186 ACRES  
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TENTHS OF MILE

# BAKER POND

Caratunk, Somerset County  
U.S.G.S. Dimmick Mountain, Maine (7½')

## Fishes

Landlocked salmon  
Brook trout  
Rainbow smelt  
Minnnows  
Lake chub

Redbelly dace  
Blacknose dace  
Creek chub  
White sucker

## Physical Characteristics

Area - 186 acres

Maximum depth - 74 feet

Temperatures:

Surface - 70°F

73 feet - 43°F

Principal fisheries: Landlocked salmon, brook trout

Baker Pond is located east of Moxie Mountain. Its main inlet, Dimmick Stream, enters the west side of the pond from Little Dimmick Pond. Its outlet flows northeast into nearby Moxie Bog. The pond's shoreline is undeveloped.

The deep basin in the lower section of Baker Pond provides good water quality for coldwater gamefish. The inlet provides ample spawning and nursery habitat to support wild populations of both salmon and brook trout through natural reproduction. Fish growth is slow as a result of heavy competition among fish species. The pond is not stocked.

Baker Pond is accessible via a series of logging roads north of Bingham. The pond is open to fishing with no live fish as bait in the summer and closed to ice fishing. See the lawbook for special regulations.

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